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# The Crier

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER FOR THE KINGDOM OF AN TIR



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## Reporting Calendar of An Tir

		Report Due
Q1	Jan-Mar	May 1st
Q2	Apr-Jun	August 1st
Q3	July-Sep	November 1st
Q4	Oct-Dec	February 1st

## The Royal Court



### *Their Majesties*

King Nicolai Rabenis Von Tachov and Queen Ana de la Sara  
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### *Their Alpine Highnesses of the Summits*

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### *Their Highnesses of Tir Righ*

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## Royal Champions

Champion of An Tir	Rauokinn Eyverska Starradottir	July Coronation
Kingdom Protector	Drekah Thoreson	September Crown
Queen's Rapier Champion	Rosa Marcella	Kingdom A&S
Arts & Sciences Champion	Lantani de Forez	Kingdom A&S
Bardic Champion	Gareth Hyre	Twelfth Night
Equestrian Champion	Angharad Banadaspus Drakenhefd	Twelfth Night

## Health and Safety

**A**lthough the SCA (Society of Creative Anachronism) complies with all applicable laws to ensure the health and safety of our event participants, we cannot eliminate the risk of exposure to infectious diseases during in-person events. By participating in the in-person events of the SCA, you acknowledge and accept the potential risks. You agree to take any additional steps to protect your own health and safety and those under your control as you believe to be necessary.

# Notices

## Their Royal Majesties announce the format for Their

### May Crown Tournament:

We would like to announce the format for Our Crown Tourney.

Processional will be in highest Order of Precedence of the Fighter and Inspiration.

Processional will be in Reverse OP order into Court.

Challenge round will be fought after a 20 minute warm up.

Challenge round will be single sword only (one handed only).

Main Tournament will be Round Robin into a Sweet 16 (Ursalmas style)

Sweet 16 - Semi-Finals will be Single Elimination best 2 of 3

Finals will be best 3 of 5

Nicolai King An Tir, Ana Queen Ana Tir

### Officer Position Open:

Kingdom Earl Marshal is seeking applications for successor to **Marshal Authorization Officer**.

The Authorization officer is responsible for receiving and entering both physical and electronic marshal authorizations into the database from all marshal activities excluding equestrian in a timely manner

Collaborating with the An Tir IT team to maintain an improve the authorization page and database.

Responding to authorization questions from members of the populace and An Tir

and Branch leadership

Supporting the Kingdom List Minister for all Kingdom level marshal tournaments

Working with Kingdom, Regional, and Branch Marshal leadership providing information and reports

Maintaining the Marshal warrant list for all marshalled officers at both the Kingdom and local level and providing this list for signatures to the Earl marshal at 12th night and July Coronation

No Authorization in a combat weapon form required

Support Equestrian Marshal authorization deputy

Letters of Intent with SCA resumes and mundane resumes need to be emailed to: [earlmarshal@antir.org](mailto:earlmarshal@antir.org) and [marshal.authorizations@antir.org](mailto:marshal.authorizations@antir.org).

### From the Royal Largesse Coordinator

Please email [kingdom.largesse@antir.org](mailto:kingdom.largesse@antir.org) with any questions or if arrangement of hand-off/delivery is needed.

### BASIC GUIDELINES FOR DONATION:

◆ Handmade is fantastic but not required, just that it's as period as possible (exceptions are in place for children's items – period preferred but NOT required, period adjacent or 'thematic' is great [examples: magical creatures, a modern puzzle with jousting scene, etc.]).

◆ PLEASE label each of your items with your SCA Name, SCA Branch, and what the item is/can be used for. UPDATED: If you wish to remain anonymous, that's fine! Just include your branch and the item description.

◆ ANYONE can donate largesse, in ANY quantity (Yes, even just one thing)!

◆ NO scented items please!

◆ NO perishable items please!

◆ NO items that can melt please! (If you are unsure, leave it in your car on a 90 degree day and see if it melts)

◆ If you are unsure what to donate, please reach out!

◆ Items we always need: Caps/Hats/Coifs; Veils; Cups; Toys/Games/Crafts/Stuffies for Children and Teens.

### CURRENT NEEDS:

◆ Useful Items - Leather Repair kits; Fighter Repair kits; Needle Books; Beeswax Discs; Wooden Bobbins; Painted Fans; Desiccant Bags; Bath Salts (unscented); Lanterns; Hand Bound Books; Period Cutlery

◆ Clothing Accessories - Fancy Aprons, Sleeves, Purses/Pouches; Buttons; Woven Bands; Braided Cord; Veils (Linen or Silk, Circle/Half-Circle/Rectangle); Brigitta caps; Hoods

◆ Activities Items - Board Games; New Skill/Crafting Kits (Embroidery, Spinning/Drop Spindle, Needle Felting, Painting, etc); Period Playing Cards; Glass Beads

### SPECIFIC REQUESTS FROM OUR CROWN:

For General Largesse

◆ Items Teens Can Use/Play With

Some ideas: Smaller size/capacity haversacks, small leather-bound books, simple period craft kits, stuffies, wooden dice, small painted wooden boxes for trinkets, simple/cute block printing stamps, medieval playing cards, tabletop games, 3D wooden puzzles, higher complexity coloring books, etc. Basically, anything rated 13+!

◆ Quality Over Quantity When Possible

What does this mean? If you have time to make one 16th Century Pocket or 15 Needlebooks, lean towards the pocket. This does NOT mean that we don't want needlebooks ☐ We love needlebooks! If churning out lots of little things is your main jam, please continue to donate those, we still need bulk items and we are so grateful for the generosity and time used to create those as well!

### FOR PERSONAL GIFTS

◆ Usable Items Over Trinkets

◆ NO Food or Drink Including/Containing the Following: Beer, Wine, Onions, Coffee, Peat, Licorice, Celery, Lemon, Mushrooms, Seafood

HRM Ana's Persona: Mid-14th Century French

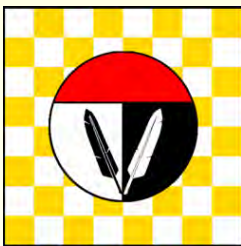
Heraldic Colors: Green, Gold, Black

Symbols: Bees

Favorite Color: Dark Green

Preferred Colors: Dark Green, Gold, Black,

Burgundy



Barony of Wyewood  
Baronial Polling

Barony of Wyewood's Baronial Polling

Baron Alarich von Thorn and Baroness Aline Swynbroke would like to request nominations for those who would succeed them as the next Coronets of Wyewood.

Letters of Intent and Resumes should be sent to Lady Caterine Rose d'Evreux the An Tir Polling Deputy at [pollings@antir.org](mailto:pollings@antir.org) by Midnight Saturday, May 1st.

A Baronial in-person meet and greet (& FB live stream) with the populace will be held May 19 - 23, 2025.

Online/Digital polling will open May 26 and close at midnight May 30.

Change over date will be June 20 -22 at the Barony of Dragon's Laire's June Faire event.

Only paid members are eligible to participate through the official polling form. Anyone who is not a paid member or lives outside the official zip codes / postal codes is welcome to use the same polling link to submit their comments to the Crown directly. Gentles may also email the Crown. However, these will be earmarked as non-members.

More information can be found at <https://antir.org/online-baronial-polling/>.

If you have any more questions, you can contact the Seneschal of Wyewood, or the An Tir Polling Deputy, Caterine d'Evreux



Barony of Vulcanfeldt  
Baronial Polling

Baroness and Baron of Vulcanfeldt, Her Excellency Ban Bharun Fiona ingen Conchobair and His Excellency Baron Ullrich Hell Licht, would like to request nominations for those who would succeed them as the sixth Coronets of Vulcanfeldt.

Online/Digital polling will open May 26th and close at midnight on May 30th.

Only paid members are eligible to participate through the official polling form. Anyone who is not a paid member or lives outside the official zip codes / postal codes is welcome to use the same polling link to submit their comments to the Crown directly. Gentles may also email the Crown; however, these will be earmarked as non-members.

More information can be found at <https://antir.org/online-baronial-polling/>.

Change over date will be at July Coronation.

If you have any more questions, you can contact the Seneschal of Vulcanfeldt, or the An Tir Polling Deputy, Caterine d'Evreux



Note from the Crier Editor:

Do you have an idea for content for the Crier? Artwork, articles, poems, or pictures?

We would love to see what you have to share with the Kingdom! We publish as space allows after required content/regular features. We can also publish a Supplement for longer articles, classes or features.

Please email your ideas to [crieditor@antir.org](mailto:crieditor@antir.org)

# Spotlight Scribe

I was our shires unofficial scribe

What is your scribal pet peeve? I have none  
 Was there anyone that helped you along your scribal journey that you would like to acknowledge? If so, how did they influence you on this journey?

I appreciate feedback on my work, several thru the years made me feel confident about my art Lois Hale being penultimate

Do you have any special tips, tricks, or techniques that you use or have learned through your scribal journey?

I like mixing a few signature colors no one else uses.

Have you ever done an original award? If so, what did you learn though the process? Do you have any advice you would pass on to someone new to original work?

I did a knighting scroll on a shield blank for Duke Tjorkil that turned out pretty cool. Yes, know what the person is most proud of and try to fit that in, with Tjorkil I knew he had been pictured on a magic the gathering card, so I used it in his knighting scroll.

What is your favorite Kingdom Award that you have painted, calligraphed, or designed? Why is that your favorite?

I designed a horse bridle from a dig, added a horse I owned in the design of the bit, it was fun and others enjoyed painting it

What is the best or most impactful piece of advice you have ever received through your scribal journey?

That's hard, I tend to doubt my

work, so, be sure and give word praise to others on the path .

Is there anything that you would say to your younger scribal self just starting out on this path?

Yes, be more confident

Is there anything else that you would like to say or add as an An Tir Spotlight Scribe?

I really enjoy the work, I hope to get more involved when I live in a space that gives me room

What is your SCA name?

Morgan of Applecross.

How long have you been a scribe?

20 yrs roughly.

How did you become a scribe?



Photos by Morgan of Applecross

I saw a need in our small shire and gave it a try.

What do you enjoy most about being a scribe?

I love painting, watching the pieces become something I would hang on my wall

Have you ever held an office/ position as a Scribe? If so, please describe what office, briefly what it entailed, and anything you would like to share with the populace about the position and your experience in it.



Photos by Morgan of Applecross



An Tir Scribes Website

Interested in scribal arts? Check out all of the resources, articles and instructional videos on the An Tir Scribes website at: [scribes.antir.org](http://scribes.antir.org)



Photograph by Matthew McCalla

**Kingdom Arts & Sciences and  
Queen's Rapier Championships:  
Court Report  
of TRM's Ana and Nicolai**

Mar 8, 2025

**Champions of An Tir:**

A&S Champion: Lantani de Forez

Queen's Rapier Champion: Rosa Marcella

**Awards:**

Lion's Cub - Caitlin of Aquaterra

Court Barony - Sine Gunnsdottir

Goutte de Sang - Theodora Pleustissa

Goutte de Sang - Paullus Quinctilius Barbatus

Jambe de Lion - Morganus Eternus

Jambe de Lion - Ancareta Morganus

Jambe de Lion - Pelagiia Innina doch

Lion's Rapier - Godfrey von Ravensburg

Carp - Agatha Iris

Augmentation of Arms - Pompeia Rufina

AOA - Melody Brightsmith

AOA - Reinhild Galda

Griff et du Lion - Togashi Ichiro

Bountiful Hand - Pelagiia Innina doch

Order of the Pelican - Elizabeth FitzWilliam of Carlisle

Order of the Pelican - Disa i Birkilundi

Order of the Chivalry - Alasdair Mac Roibeirt

Scholar of An Tir - Cormac Mor, Lantani de Forez,

Miranda Faoltiarna, 'Izza al-Dimashqiyya

Sable Bonnet - 'Izza al-Dimashqiyya

Lion's Heart - Matittiyahu von Modin

**Peerage Offers:**

Chivalry Offer - Idomeneus the Cretan

Laurel Offer - Lantani de Forez

Laurel Offer - Laeriel Fayrehale

Pelican Offer - Katryne Mackim

Pelican Offer - Kloe of Thira

## Poetry Corner

By

### The Incipient Poets Guild of An Tir

Ah, Glymm Mere  
By Dame Elisabeth Piper, OL

Ah, Glymm Mere, Gentle Glymm Mere,  
Tell me how thy people doth, so noble to behold.

The baker and the tailor and the soldier do agree,  
'Tis best to act with kindness and live our lives in courtesy.

Ah, Glymm Mere, Gentle Glymm Mere,  
Tell me how thy people doth, so noble to behold.

To jest, to feast, to sing and dance, and live with chivalry,  
Or and azure banners fly beside the Salish Sea.

Ah, Glymm Mere, Gentle Glymm Mere,  
Tell me how thy people doth, so noble to behold.

[New lyrics to Ah, Robin, by William Cornish (d.1523)]

Cover Image:

Her Majesty Ana de la Sara greets her new Queen's Rapier Champion Rosa Marcella, MoD

Photo by Michael Maximilien de Champagne

By Viscountess Vesta Antonia Aurelia (OL)

The maiden soul, its humor cast  
In the mould of brazen skin,  
Seeks a pardon for its past  
To recompense itself for sin.

So we, the lamps of God's own hand,  
Do light the dark'ning world anon  
And brighten every blighted strand  
We place our loving hearts upon.

Thus, blood and choler, phlegm and bile

Quartered like the season'd year,  
Measure candor out with guile  
And courage with unreason'd fear

Thus Jesu bid us mend our souls  
And shape'd our humors to our roles.

[Sonnet based on humoral theory]



**AQUATERRA BOAR'S HUNT**  
**GULLINBURSTI**  
**-THE LEGEND OF THE GOLDEN BOAR-**

**JUNE 6-8**  
**A.S. LX**  
**GRANTE FALLS, WA**

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# Eat This Book!

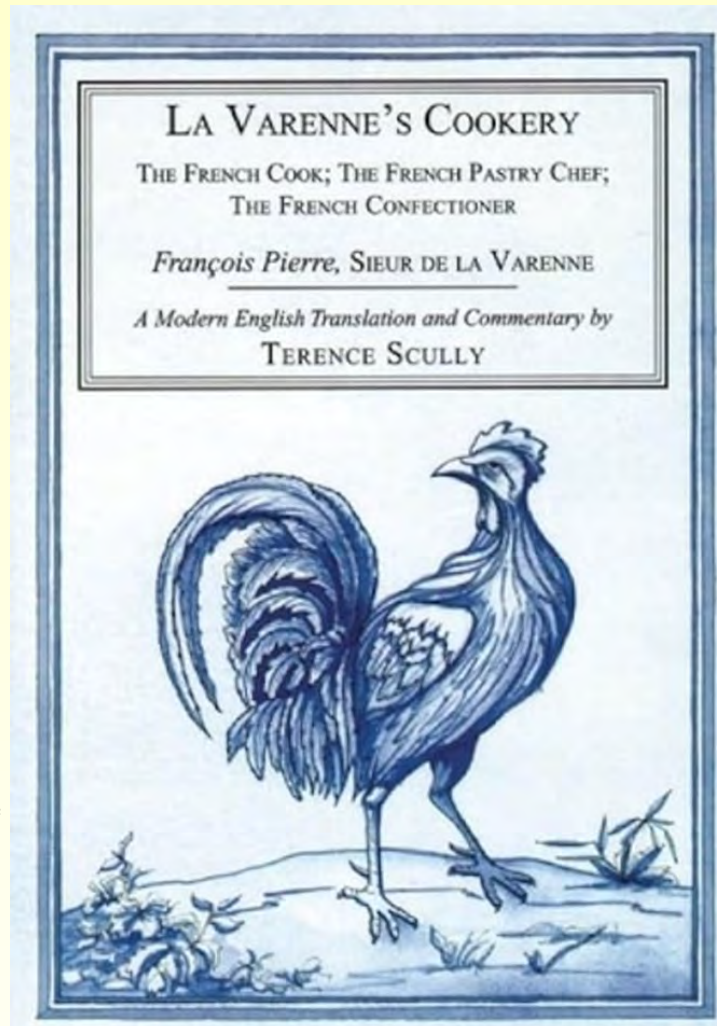
Eat This Book has featured many cookbooks by Terrance Scully. Dr. Scully's main focus is French Medieval and Renaissance Cookery. This month we will explore another of his books that continues his focus. The book we will look at this month has a very long title and is a very hefty book running 626 pages. "La Varenne Cookery: The French Cook; The French Pastry Chef; The French Confectioner" by Francois Pierre, Sieur de la Varenne A Modern English Translation and Commentary" by Terence Scully 2006, Prospect Books. It is composed, as the title suggests, of three separate books.

The first section of this book, The French Cook, was published in 1651. The recipes included in this section were likely collected in the two decades before when Francois Pierre worked in the kitchens, and eventually became Master Cook, for the Marquis d'Uxelles. His publisher, Pierre David, had low expectations for sales of the book, but "Le Cuisiner Francois" was a popular hit and "sales exhausted an astounding 30 editions over 75 years". The second section, "The French Pastry Chef", was published by a second publisher J. Gailard in 1653. Scully tells us that, "The baked goods presented in the treatise range from the standard pies and tourtes to waffles, fritters and biscuits through to macaroon and marzipan". Many of the pastry items included in this book are published, in a complete form, for the first time. Scully goes on to say the "The French Pastry Chef" is "an original undertaking in its aim to give a broad and detailed exposition solely of the craft of pastry-making." It is an expectational work. The third, and final section, "The French Confectioner" was published in 1660 by a third publisher, Jean Ribou and bears the attribution of "La Varenne", but scholars, including Scully, believe the publisher was capitalizing on the name and that "(t)here are only very tenuous grounds for suggesting that the book ever had anything at all to do with La Varenne." "The French Confectioner" is

also a book that contains many recipes that have previously only been mentioned in passing or are incomplete in the medieval French corpus. "The French Confectioner" does pull from previous Spanish and Italian works, but definitely expands the recipes for candies, jams, jellies, etc. Besides these sweet treats "The French Confectioner" also has a section on napkin folding. The Publisher of "The French Cook", Pierre David, also published "Le Maistre d'Hotel". "Le Maistre d'Hotel" also includes a section on napkin folding, as well as a second section titled "Le Sommelier".

"is writing in order to help colleagues whose memory may not be wholly dependable but who have no close professional mentors to who they can turn without embarrassment for help." It is interesting that even at this late date there are still many references and associations that started hundreds of years before between food and medicine. Scully also believes that the title, "The French Chef" or in French, "Le Cuisinier françois" is pun on the authors name. Should the title be "The French Chef" or "Francois the Chef". Either way "The French Chef", the first of the three

books included in this work, is filled with tasty recipes you will want to try. Francois Pierre divided "The French Chef" into three major subdivisions "dishes for meat days, those for lean days and those for Lent." The last two sections were essential for any cook. Lean days and lent could take up approximately 178 days of the year. Lean days were "generally three in every week of the year: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays." Lent consisted of the forty days before Easter. Normally I would describe the sections of the book, but with three full works there is not enough space to include these details. I will say that Scully has placed the bibliography at the beginning of the work, emphasizing the importance instead of the end. Also, it should be noted that there is no side by side French with the English translation which would have been a plus to me.



Some of the content included in the napkin folding section in "The French Confectioner" are similar to those in "Le Maistre d'Hotel".

Scully tells us that "The French Cook" continues along the lines of other period cookbooks. He says, the "dining table has always been a means of demonstrating an exceptional refinement of taste that is directly related to an exceptional social position." He also suspects that Francois Pierre

Francois Pierre was likely born into "a respectable bourgeois or middle-class family" in the early 1600's, likely 1615. He started working in kitchens at a very early age and rose through the ranks to a well-respected chef. It is not clear when he took the nickname "La Varenne" which was used in the by past chef de cuisines in France. He claimed the name was "inherited". Francois Pierre La Varenne died in 1678.

You might also be interested in "The



French Cook” 2001, Southover Press. With an introduction by Philip and Mary Hyman this transcription of the 1653 English translation by “I.D.G.” is a great addition to your library if you are really interested in this time period of cooking. It only includes the first book of the three La Varenne works, but can be used in tandem with the above to check how an English translator from the time period represented the work.

Madrone Culinary Guild Feudal Gourmet also has a pamphlet which uses La Varenne as one of the sources. “French Food in The Renaissance” is described as “(a) collection of tasty recipes from France of the 14th to 17th century. Our Guild has studied many recipes of La Varenne, and you’ll find a banquet’s worth here. The pamphlet has 19 recipes, including the indispensable Sauce Robert (“good on almost anything”) and Tourt of Pear.” You can purchase the pamphlet here: <https://mcg.antir.sca.org>

Dr. Terence Scully received his undergraduate degree in French from Oxford University. He received his Ph.D in French literature from Harvard. His focus on French Medieval and Renaissance Food can be further explored in his first book “The Art of Cookery in the Middle Ages” and further investigated in “The Viandier of Taillevent” which is an academic, yet readable, comparison of all the existing manuscripts of Taillevent. He has also contributed to many academic journals, as well as being a guest speaker at numerous food and history conferences. Now retired from teaching Dr. Scully continues to research and write.

“Eat this book” is a column produced for An Tir’s Kingdom newsletter, The Crier. I hope to help you build your food history library. If you have a comment, book, country, or a time period you would like explored please write to me at: [info@vastrepast.com](mailto:info@vastrepast.com)

Visconti Eduardo Lucrezia is a mid-15<sup>th</sup> Century Italian Renaissance Court and Kitchen Punk. He is obsessed with the food from the Iberian Peninsula, specifically the recipes of Martino and Platina.

He is a member of the Order of the Laurel, the order of the Pelican, a Baron of the Court of An Tir and a Lion, An Tir.

David Huffman-Walddon owns a technology consulting company, Renaissance Strategic Consulting, Inc., and an Arbonne health and wellness business. He has written on food history for “The Journal of Italian Food and Wine” and “Petits Propos Culinaires”. He has given papers on the food of the Italian Renaissance at the Oxford Symposium on Food and Cookery and the Renaissance Society of America. His weekly food history and tradition column, The Vast Repast, was syndicated in Washington, Oregon, California and British Columbia. Eat This Book has run almost every month in “The Crier”, An Tir’s official newsletter, since March of 2021.



Author Photo by Tessina (Geneva Borland)

## Notice About Submitting Event Copy

Why events must be published – for an event to be considered official, event copy needs to be published at minimum once in the issue of the month in which the event occurs. *An event must be official if Royals are present (this includes branch Coronets)* so that any business conducted in Court can be recorded and published.

All Branches in An Tir must have at least one official event per year in the Crier to maintain their status.

The deadline for copy to be submitted to the Crier is the first of the month prior to the month the event occurs in. For instance, if you have an event happening at any time in July, your event notice must be sent to the Office of the Chronicler by June 1st.

All event copy should be sent to [CrierEditor@antir.org](mailto:CrierEditor@antir.org) and needs to follow a specific format, please ask for a copy of the format if you do not already have one. No event copy will be published if an EIF is not on file for that event - calendar shows if one is or not.

In order for copy to be published you must email the Crier Editor. No other method ie: calendar links, forms, etc should be used - they will NOT work.

Remember: The deadline is the first of the month PRIOR to your event!

If you send copy in mid-April for a May event....you missed the deadline for May and it will not be published.

**Nothing will get you in the Crier except an email to the Crier Editor.**

Seneschals please share this information with your event stewards!

# Event Announcements

## Mayfaire

Barony of Glymm Mere

May 3rd 2025

Event Steward: Volk the Grey/Vettor de Carduci - volkthegray@comcast.net

Co-stewards: Sigmund Faust

Site: Oakville Grange - 405 S. Temple St Oakville, WA 98568 Directions to the site: Oakville Grange, eleven miles off of I-5 at exit 88.

88. 9AM - 7PM

Gate fee: Adult Non Member - \$20.00, Adult Member - \$10.00, Youth - Free

Checks payable to: SCA, Inc, Barony of Glymm Mere

Bring some victuals that would go with soup, that will be supplied by the Barony, to the rustic Oakville Grange and join Glymm Mere for an eventful day of Heavy(rattan) and Rapier tournaments for Baronial Championships.

## May Revel

Shire of Southmarch

May 3, 2025

740 Lakeshore Dr, Klamath Falls, OR 97601, USA

There is no site fee, but we will welcome donations to our shire

Greetings, one and all! Come down to the southern reaches of the kingdom and of the Summits for the Shire of Southmarch's May Revel. Celebrate Spring with us on the first Saturday in May, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Join in the competition for Southmarch's Archery and Arts and Sciences championships. We will also have heavy and rapier war scenarios. At the end of the day's activities, there will be a potluck feast.

For more information, email the event steward, Keith filius Teðion at [dragons-bane0@yahoo.com](mailto:dragons-bane0@yahoo.com)

## Tain Bo

Barony of Glyn Dwfn

May 9th - May 11th

Friday at 3:00PM and Closes Sunday at 4:00PM

Steward: Baron Piaras mac Toirdhealbhagh, piaras2013@gmail.com

Co-Steward: Feradach mac Tralin mec Domongairt, viperzka@gmail.com

Gate fee: Adult Non-Member Weekend Fee \$35.00, Adult Member Weekend Fee \$25.00, Adult Non-Member Day Fee \$30.00, Adult Member Day Fee \$20.00, Children & Youth (Under 19) \$0.00

Checks payable to: Barony of Glyn Dwfn, SCA Inc.

Site: Willowdale Ranch, 261 Hyatt Prairie Rd, Ashland, OR 97520

The Barony of Glyn Dwfn welcomes ALL to the 10th Annual Tain Bo! We will be at a new site this year with lots of space! As always, Tain Bo will have something for everyone: Armored combat, archery, rapier, cut & thrust, arts & sciences competitions, classes, the popular Mead Meet, and much more. New this year we will have Equestrian! As this is our 10th

year, all branches are eligible to compete for the coveted Tain Bo Banner, including the branch that won last year - the branch that wins will get to keep the banner forever!

Merchants will pay an additional \$20.00 fee and must email GlynDwfnMerchants@gmail.com to receive an application Further site rules: Dogs and other pets are allowed so long as they are leashed or otherwise contained and cleaned up after. Personal alcohol is allowed on site. Wood & propane fire pits are allowed (assuming no changes to fire restrictions from the County or State) - fire must be contained and not directly on the ground (please use an off the ground fire pit). There will be plenty of camping space. If you intend to bring an RV, please email the event steward at piaras2013@gmail.com - please note there are no electric or water hook-ups

## Sir Eddie's Memorial Tournament

Shire of Thornwold

May 4, 2025 9am - 7pm

Site: The Lavender House, 779 E Pole Rd, Lynden, WA 98264 Event Steward: Valerius of Starfall, Cambuss99@gmail.com

Gate Fee: Adult non-member \$25 - Adult member \$15 - 18 and under free

Come and join the Shire of Thornwold as we open the field to find our new Champions! There will be championships for heavy fighting, rapier, arts and sciences, archery, and thrown, as well as delicious day food, our infamous silent auction, and more. We can't wait to see you there!

## Celtic Revolt

Barony of Wealdsmere

23 to 26 May 2025

10 AM on 23rd, closes 4pm 26th

Event Steward: Modwenna, amanda.reitz1337@gmail.com

Gate fee: Adult (19+) Non members: Weekend \$35, Day \$25. Youth (13-18) Weekend \$12.50, Day \$7.50. Children (up to 12) No charge. Member discount applicable to Adult weekend (\$25) and day (\$15) fees.

Checks payable to: Barony of Wealdsmere SCA, Inc

Site: Lancaster Estates: 6325 HWY 291, Nine Mile Falls, WA

Come one come all! The Celts are revolting again! Baron Arawn and Baroness Shahzade invite all to join them in the Baronial Championships, the war scenarios, siege cooking, classes, and many other forms of entertainment lasting the entire weekend.

Site is primitive camping, with port-a-potties and plenty of room for large encampments. Please pack out everything you pack in. No ground fires. Above ground fires, propane fires and tiki torches are allowed depending on current fire conditions. Water (onsite spigot), dirt, arrival soups and lots of fun and friendship are the only thing's provided. Grounds are pine trees, scrub grass, sand and clay. Activities to include: Heavy war and tournaments, Rapier

war and tournaments, target archery, A&S contests including brewing and pickling, bardic, siege cooking and children's activities

## Egils Skallagrimsson Memorial Tournament

Barony of Adiantum

Lynx Hollow Park, 80998 Davisson Rd., Creswell, OR 97426

Event Stewards: Aila'ntha of Williams Keep and Teresa of Adiantum

May 23rd to May 26th 2025

Hours: 12:30 PM on May 23rd to 3:30 PM May 26th.

Barony of Adiantum

Gate fee for the event only:

Adult camping fee: \$45\*

Youth (10-17) camping fee: \$20.00

Children (under 10): \$0

Adult daytrip only: \$20\*

17 and under daytrip only: \$0

Pets (dogs, cats, non-livestock birds) \$2

(Camping or day trip. Must have proof of rabies vaccination.)

Family cap is \$130.00\*, minus membership discounts, for 2 parent/legal guardians and their minor Children, youth, and wards.

\*Adult SCA Members will receive a \$10.00 discount. Checks payable to: SCA Inc. Barony of Adiantum

Directions: From north or south, take I-5 to the Creswell exit, #182. At the end of the off-ramp, turn west toward the center of town. Turn left onto Hwy. 99 directly after the railroad crossing. Go south on Hwy. 99 for 1.3 miles. Turn left onto Davisson Road. Park entrance is 2.3 miles on the left, directly across from the state park sign. Land Reservation is allotted with your pre-registration, available now on the event website along with details and instructions. Pre-registration is strongly encouraged. All attendance fees may be paid at time of online pre-reg via PayPal or at time of arrival at the Gate. Wi-Fi signal at site can be unreliable, so there is no guarantee that electronic payment will be available. Please be prepared with cash or check payment options. Adults acting as guardians of youth (who are not their own children) for the event must bring necessary documentation as described on the An Tir Kingdom Event Calendar page and Egils Event website. Complete event details will be available on the An Tir Kingdom Event Calendar page and the Egils website: <https://egilstourneysca.org/> Updates will be posted to the event website as they occur. Merchant information packets are found on the event website. Event Contact Email: [egils@antir.org](mailto:egils@antir.org) (Checked multiple times daily.)

## Springfest

Barony of Wastekeep

June 6-8, 2025

2:00 pm June 6; Close 12:00 pm June 8th

Event steward: Melike bint Mihail -

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Gate fee: \$25 for adults 18+; \$10 discount with proof of current SCA membership  
Checks payable to: Barony of Wastekeep, SCA Inc.

Site: Basin City Memorial Park and Arena 303 Bailie Blvd Mesa, WA 99343

You are hereby invited to Springfest, where a grand Day of Tournaments will be held to vie for the titles "Champion of Wastekeep"!

On the seventh day of June, combatants and archers from across the realm shall gather at Basin City Memorial Park and Arena to prove their mettle in a series of prize tournaments, ultimately vying for glory and the title of Champion!

But this is not solely an event for competitors alone! Spectators and those with passion for hospitality are called upon to partake in the festivities as well. Cheer your chosen champions, celebrate hospitality, and revel in the merrymaking of food, drink, and dancing.

Event Highlights Include: tournament for Armoured Champion, Rapier Champion, Archery Champion, as well as Youth Armored and Youth Archery Champion. Other contests and activities to be announced at a later date.

### **Dragon's Mist Champions**

Barony of Dragon's Mist

Saturday, May 31, 2025 9 am to 5 pm

Event Steward - HL Rashida bint Yusuf, alkop-pel@gmail.com

Mariposa Park, 1297 S Quartz Dr., Cornelius, OR 97113

Gate fee: Adult: \$15, Adult non-member \$25 (includes \$10 NMS), Youth under 18: Free  
Checks payable to: Barony of Dragon's Mist  
Come to the Dragon's Mist Champions event, where we will have tournaments and creative contests to determine who our new Armored, Archery, and Junior and Senior Youth Champions will be. Other non-championship activities will also be scheduled. Bring a picnic lunch to this one-day event, where covered shelters with picnic tables are available. Site is DRY. Please refer to the Kingdom Event website for the latest site, Championship, and activity updates as they develop: <https://antir.org/events/dragons-mist-champions-3/>. Event Steward Rashida is not on Facebook, but is delighted to receive emails at your convenience.

### **Lionhearts Championship & Wyewood Day of Archery**

Barony of Madrone and Barony of Wyewood

Date: May 31st, 2025

Time: 10am to 6:00pm

Event Stewards: (Madrone) Rowena Jade of the Lion Isles rowenajadeotli@gmail.com

(Wyewood) Tymme "Prodkiller" Lytefelow lytefelow@outlook.com

Event Fee: \$25 (Members receive a \$10 member discount)

Checks: SCA Inc. – Barony of Wyewood

Site Address: Associated Energy Systems Field, 8621 S 180th St Kent, WA 98032

Don your armor, pick up your swords, your bows and arrows, and your thrown weapons to join us for a day of valiant combat and competition in the heart of the Barony of Wyewood (Kent, WA). By display of prowess, chivalry,

and joy in the martial arts, competitors will vie for selection by the Baron and Baroness of Madrone to take on the mantles of Champions for Armored Combat, Rapier and Cut-and-Thrust whilst Wyewood will hold Archery and Thrown Weapons competitions. This is a great opportunity for those wishing to send in IKAC and Royal Round scores. For those wishing to learn the martial arts, there will be lessons available in some of the forms. A simple luncheon is included in your site fee as our noble Baronesses Gera (Madrone) and Aline (Wyewood) invite you to have "Brats with the Baronesses." Donations are suggested but not expected. A hospitality table with snacks and nibbles will also be available to all attending. Do bring a favorite to share!

The site is a grass field. Bring your pop-ups and day-flies to share shade with your friends. There will be designated ADA parking and ADA biffies available. Pets are welcomed if they are leashed and under supervision at all times. Please plan to "pack in and pack out"

### **Embers & Ambrosia, Celtic Bardic, and Daffodil Archery**

Swiss Sportsmans Club 9205 198th Ave E, Bonney Lake, WA 98391

Barony of Blatha an Oir

Event Steward: Cyfurdd Angharat verch Reynulf

Date of the event: May 23 – May 26, 2025

Open and closing hours of the event: 3 pm May 23 for populace, noon for Event Team and Merchants to Open, 1 pm Monday May 26th for Close.

Gate fee for the event only:

Adult non-member \$40 for the weekend

Adult member after discount \$30 for the weekend

Youth and children free

Additional camping costs:

RVs hookups are \$25/day (wet OR dry hookups available)

Tents are \$25/weekend (closed wall/sleeping tents only – kitchen popups/dayshades are no charge

To whom should checks be made payable?:

Barony of Blatha an Oir, SCA Inc

On Memorial Day weekend, Blatha an Oir again combines three events to bring people together from across the Kingdom in their passions and interests. Activities will include

Torchlight Tourney Friday night (subject to marshal availability) Rapier and Cut and Thrust tourneys Saturday, Archery, including the Daffodil Tourney! Thrown Weapons! Classes - food, bardic, martial, scribal, and more. Demo area to chat with folks making things, cooking food, and maybe even try your hand at making something. There are 3 baronial championships open to participation - Bardic, Arts & Sciences on Saturday and the Shield of the Barony on Sunday. After Saturday evening court, there will be a potluck in the hall. Two hearty soups/stews will be there for a start - both GF, one with meat, and one vegetarian. Please label foods for discrete allergy maintenance and remember a serving utensil. (Since we do have the hall, there will be space to set up a crock pot, or hold foods cold until after Court) With 2 small play areas for smaller children and a mix

of indoor and outdoor activities, restrooms and showers, this is a great option to possibly bring friends to see what this is all about. Additional camping costs: (separate from Gate Fee) RV hookups are \$25/day (wet OR dry hookups available) Tents are \$25/weekend (closed wall/sleeping tents only – kitchen popups/dayshades are no charge.

### **Boar's Hunt 2025**

Barony of Aquaterra

Event Steward: Michael Maximilien de Champagne

June 6-8, 2025 Site: Masonic Family Park 24310 Mountain Loop Hwy Granite Falls, WA 98252

Friday 3pm to Sunday 3pm for Weekend/ Camping

Saturday 9am - 9pm for Day Trip

\*No cell service on site\*

Cash/Check/Pre-Registration Only

Email: [michaeldechampagne@gmail.com](mailto:michaeldechampagne@gmail.com) Adult non-member Weekend: \$45

Adult member Weekend: \$40

Adult non-member Day Trip: \$25

Adult member Day Trip: \$20

Youth Day/Weekend (13-17): \$5

Kids (0-12): Free

Make checks payable to SCA Inc., Barony of Aquaterra

Join the Hunt for the Golden Boar and claim its glory at Boar's Hunt 2025, hosted by the Barony of Aquaterra!

Inspired by the mythic Gullinbursti, the golden boar of Norse legend, this weekend camping event will be a celebration of honor, skill, and camaraderie. Watch the forest come alive with the clash of armored combat, the swift precision of archery, and the artistry of historical crafts. Whether you're a warrior, artisan, storyteller, or curious traveler, there's something for everyone - heavy fighting, rapier duels, archery contests, youth activities, classes, and the Newcomer's Picnic. Don your garb, gather your companions, and answer the call of Gullinbursti, the Golden Boar! All classes, largesse, arts, sciences, competitions, trivia, prizes, and other event content should meet the themes of gold, boars, myths/legends, or Norse culture.

For event details, visit: <https://antir.org/events/boars-hunt-20/>

### **Iron and Ink**

College of Lyonsmarche

June 13-15th 2025

Event Steward and Contact Information: Sigrun Skaldsdottir - [rcoursey69@gmail.com](mailto:rcoursey69@gmail.com)

Opens 3pm on Friday and Closes 12pm on Sunday

Gate Fee: \$20.00 (\$10.00 member discount)

Youth up to 17 free

Checks Payable to: College of Lyonsmarche, SCA Inc.

Site: Carpenter Farm – 2428 Coppei Road, Waitsburg WA 99361

Hands-On Classes and Demos for any and all aspects of SCA.

## OFFICER POSITION OPEN

### Crier Editor

The Crier Editor is a deputy to the Kingdom Chroniclers office and is responsible for publishing the Kingdom newsletter, the Crier. The skills needed for this job are:

Ability to meet a deadline. The Crier is published monthly by the Society and this must be done on time, every time without fail.

Ability to use word processing equipment - the Crier is formatted in MS Publisher.

Access to email, Facebook and Discord. Especially near the end of the month checking email every day - and multiple times a day - is very important as the Crown and Kingdom officers may have last minute additions that must be published.

Skill at layout and design - some things must be in the Crier, and some things are at the editors discretion. You have a bit of leeway for creative content that showcases the brilliance of An Tir.

This job has NO travel requirements. The Kingdom Chronicler must attend Kingdom events, but the Crier Editor is a deputy and does not have to. There is also no equipment to manage, this office is 100% online with it's own Kingdom account. You will need a computer.

The Crier Editors job is one of the most important and visible in the Kingdom - publishing the Kingdom newsletter is a big responsibility with great satisfaction in having your work in front of the entire known world. Sound like something you'd like to do?

Email [chronicler@antir.org](mailto:chronicler@antir.org) and lets chat.

## *A word about supplements from the Crier Editor.....*

*"Each month the Kingdom Chronicler is encouraged to produce a full color PDF supplement, no larger than 10 MB, which will be posted to the website as a separate file.*

*The Supplement may contain additional information such as articles, photographs, court reports, and other materials of general interest to the public. "*

So, do YOU have an idea for a supplement? Something about An Tir you think deserves a more deep dive than the Crier can manage to fit in?

If so we would love to hear from you! I will be happy to publish supplements on topics of interest to An Tir.

My personal Wish List ideas include:

**Youth activities** - I would LOVE to see a regular supplement dedicated to the children and youth of our Kingdom; crafts, garb ideas, games - whatever our younger members would like to see and I will be thrilled if it were to be written BY our younger members!

**Arts & Sciences** - do you make the things? Are you willing to write up an article about it? Either a how to, or a "why I did it like this" or even a research paper would be a welcome addition.

Any subject that is near and dear to your heart and inflames your passions will most likely do the same for someone else, and I would like to help you share your passions and inspire others.

The supplement is supposed to showcase the very best of An Tir, and I need your help to make that happen. While I am happy to edit and publish them, I am not going to write them all myself! I want to showcase *your* works!

I accept submissions in Word, Google Docs and other word processing formats.

Images may be submitted as PNG, JPEG or any image format

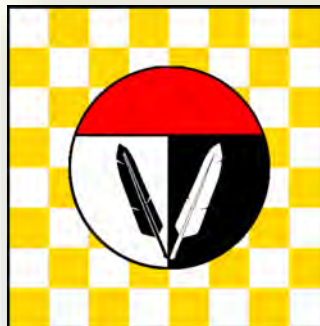
All images submitted will need a release form on file prior to publication.

Email me at [crieditor@antir.org](mailto:crieditor@antir.org) with any questions or suggestions you may have.

Thank you! In service to An Tir,

Baroness Suzanne de Chinon

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Groups interested in hosting a meeting should contact the Executive Assistant (ea@sca.org) for information on meeting requirements and how to submit a bid.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:

- a. April 12 and 13, 2025 Quarterly Board Meeting – Hybrid
  - b. July 12 and 13, 2025 Quarterly Board Meeting – Virtual
  - c. October 18 and 19, 2025 Quarterly Board Meeting – Hybrid
- MID-QUARTER CONFERENCE CALL – TENTATIVE
- a. Monday, February 24, 2025
  - b. Monday, March 24, 2025

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### Meeting Schedule:

*Meetings will be held online until further notice.*

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